covalently linked to an OH-, NH₂- or SH-function of the substances to be determined.

Claim 13, line 1, change "Method" to –The method–; change "characterized in that" to –wherein–.

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Page 19, line 1, change "Abstract" to -ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE-;

line 2, change "invention" to --disclosure--;

line 9, change "According" to --As disclosed--;

line 10, line 10, delete "to the invention,"; same line, delete "(1)".

<u>REMARKS</u>

Claims 1-13 have been amended to correct their form and to eliminate multiple dependencies in order to reduce the filing fee.

The specification and Abstract of the Disclosure have also been amended to conform to U.S. format.

An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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